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For: SINGLE PIECE TOP SURFACE DISPLAY LAYER AND INTEGRATED FRONT COVER FOR AN

**ELECTRONIC DEVICE** 

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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL (SUBSECTION(B) OF 35 U.S.C. § 132)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 for the above-identified application.

1.	Submis	Submission required under a filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114				
	a.	[ ] Previously submitted				
•	i.	[ ] Consider the amendment(s)/ reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)				
	ii.	[ ] Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on				
	b.	[X] Enclosed				
	i.	[ X ] Amendment/Reply				
•	ii.	[ ] Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)				
	iii.	[ ] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)				
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a. [ ] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
 (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(I) required)

### **Extension of Term**

- 3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.
- (a) [ ] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension	<u>Fee</u>
[ ] one month	\$120.00
[ ] two months	\$450.00
[ ] three months	\$1,020.00
[ ] four months	\$1,590.00
	Fee

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(b) [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

#### **FEES DUE**

The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

CLAIMS							
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEES		
Basic Application Fee							
Total Claims	25	- 25 =	0	X \$50 =	\$0.00		
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	X \$200 =	\$0.00		
If multiple depen	\$0.00						
TOTAL APPLIC	\$790.00						

### **PAYMENT OF FEES**

- 1. The full fee due in connection with this communication is provided as follows:
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.

  A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$790.00.

[ ] Charge any fees required or credit any overpayments associated with this filing to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.

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